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EXCERPT

L, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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O'DOWD, Paul T., 1st Lt, O-955768, during interrogation on 11 Sep 53

made the following statement concerning:

! ***Ascertain to what extent prisoners were photographed in groups? Was still or movie camera used, and for what purpose?***

"There was a good number of group pictures taken by the Chinese of the prisoners in connection with the Peace Appeal in 1951. The Chinese also took pictures of the prisoners olympic games. There was a lot of objections to these games and to the picture takings because some of the prisoners believed them for propaganda purposes only. At Camp 2, Annex, group pictures of prisoners and Chinese together were taken in July 1953. Moving pictures were also used during this occasion. The pictures were intended to show the supposedly good relationship existing between Chinese and their captives. Christmas time 1951, 1952, and Easter of 1952, when the Chinese gave big feasts pictures were also taken. Frank NOLL also took group pictures of prisoners by state or nationality in prison camps. On 28 May 1952 at Pingsiong-ni pictures of the trial of SOURCE, Lt HOWELL, Major LITTLE, Captain SHAW, Lt CORDERO, Lt GIBBONS and others were taken. At Pyongyang in the winter of 1951 Lt Walter MAYO took surreptitious pictures, with an American movie camera, of the deplorable conditions of the prisoners camps and other acts of mistreatment. This camera was configcated by the Chinese after some unknown informers reported it to them. MAYO was accused of espionage and was sentenced to jail for it. Pictures were also taken at the Main Hospital at Pyoktong when a Chinese band from the 8th Chinese Route Army came to give a concert."

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Noel, Frank

Name	Rank	AGE	Dossier No.	Army Area
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BIRCHARD, Spencer J. submitted the following information re the
above individual.

Frank Noel took still group buddy pictures to be sent home. Noel had
a long talk with Henry C. Corners when Corners was encouraged to remain in North
Korea.

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<u>NOEL, Frank</u>	<u>Capt</u>		<u>C8054015</u>	
Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area

Pfc Gerald J SMITH, SN RA13295709, dossier C8054568, stated substantially the following concerning Noel, during SMITH's interrogation on 1 September 1953 :

Noel photographed prisoners who volunteered to have their pictures taken and were grouped according to their home states.

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<u>NOEL, Frank</u>	<u>Capt.</u>		<u>C8054015</u>	
Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area

Sgt Ira D Smith, SN RA 15274882, dossier C8054570, stated substantially the following concerning NOEL; during Smith's interrogation on 2 September 1953:

NOEL took a great many group pictures at Camp #3 and the prisoners were told that they would be sent to the United States.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank Capt C8054015

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

M/Sgt Henry J STOKES, SN ER13066675, dossier C8054663, stated substantially the following concerning NOEL, during STOKES' interrogation on 20 September 1953.

In December 1951, Noel took still pictures of groups of men, and in May 1952, Noel took pictures at a camp athletic meet.

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E X C E R P T

~~NOEL~~ Name ~~Frank~~ Rank ~~ASN~~ ~~68654015~~ Dossier No. Army Area

Sgt. Harold T. Saylor, SNRA15378634, dossier 8054426, stated substantially the following concerning ~~NOEL~~, during Saylor's interrogation on 7 September 1953.

At Camp #3, in May 1952, Noel took pictures of a group swimming meet.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank Civilian
Name Grade SN Dossier No. Army Area

PFC THOMPSON, Wilson B, US 53014268 made the
following statement during HIS interrogation on 30 Aug 53

NOEL, Frank took pictures of groups supposedly for sending home
to PW's parents.

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EXCERPT

Noel

Knowles , Frank	Civilian Photographer	Unk	Unk		
Name	Rank	ASN		Dossier No.	Army Area

The following information was obtained from
ASN RA 13347056, during an interview o/a Cpl Roy E. Cline,
27 Aug 53.

Knowles took some still pictures of the athletic activities of the men in the camp. They were probably used for propaganda by the Chinese.

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Name NOWLES, Frank Rank ASR Dossier No. Army Area

Ramsey, Joseph H. RA19295488, Cpl, during interrogation on 29 Aug 53

made the following statement concerning NOWLES, Frank

"In Sept 1951, Camp #5, all the PW's were photographed singly by a Chinese photographer using a still camera. This was a part of PW processing. In Jan or Feb 1952 Mr. FRANK NOWLES took a group picture at Camp #3; no inf on purpose of pictures."

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NOEL, Frank

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

TC DONTELL Raymond F. submitted the following information re the

NOEL, photographed groups of pictures, probably connected with propaganda in some manner.

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NOELS, Frank
NAME

Capt

RANK

ASN

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DOSSIER NO

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SFC Alfredo AGUIRRE, US-54050058, during an interrogation on 15 September 1953, stated that SUBJECT took group pictures of the prisoners at Camp # 5 in March 1951.

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NOEL, Frank

Capt (?)

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Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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M/SGT William E. Akers, RA 7007826, dossier C 8051986, listed one Frank NOEL as taking pictures of groups in camp #5, using a speed graphic. (probably the Frank Noel, the newspaper correspondent).

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NOELS, Frank

(Civilian)

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

Acosta, Roy (MMI), Cpl, US 56062783, during interrogation on 4 Sep 53,
made the following statement concerning NOELS, Frank.

"At Camp #5 - NOELS, FRANK - Civilian - AP News Correspondent used to take pictures of PWs in groups. The Chinese let him send these pictures to the US. (Still camera)".

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NOEL, Frank

Name _____ Rank _____ ASN _____ Dossier No. _____ Army Area _____

ZACHERLE, Alarich, Lt Col., O-42817 during interrogation on 7 Sep 53

made the following statement concerning NOEL, Frank

Frank NOEL took pictures of the PW in both Camp #2 and #5.

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KNOWEL, Frank,

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

ANDERSON, Alvin J. 0-1913286, 1 Lt

, during interrogation on 3 Sep 53

made the following statement concerning Knowel, Frank

In the Christmas season 1951, AP Correspondent Frank Knowel came into Camp #2 and proceeded to take group photos of fellows from different states.

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NOEL, Frank

Name Rank ASI Dossier No. Army Area

ANDERSON, Clarence L., Capt, O-61069 during interrogation on 7 Sep 53

made the following statement concerning NOEL, Frank.

"Frank NOEL took a lot of group pictures for A.: with the Chinese's permission."

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank Capt (Probably)

NOEL, Frank (Newspaper Correspondent) C8054015

Name

Rank

ASN

Dossier No.

Army Area

Stephen W. BARCZYKOWSKI, Pfc., US 52 035 705, C8052097,
Stated that Frank NOEL took photographs on Christmas 1952 of
groups of men at Camp 1.

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<u>NOEL, Frank</u>	<u>Capt.</u>		<u>CR05/015</u>	
Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area

SGC Alfred P Banash, SNER 13278387, dossier 02050082, stated substantially the following concerning NOEL, during Banash's interrogation on 27 August 1953.

NOEL was seen frequently at Camp #1 taking propaganda pictures for the Chinese.

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NOEL, Frank

Capt

C 8054035

Name Rank ASN Dossier No: Army Area

The following information was obtained from Sgt Albert H, Bemerer, RA 15261032 during an interview o/a 27 Aug 53:

Noel was an A.P. Photographer. He took pictures of groups of POW's.

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NOEL, Frank	Unk	Unk	Unk	Dossier No: Army Area
Name	Rank	ASN		

The following information was obtained from Pfc Dean Beck, US 52309709, during an interview o/a 28 Aug 53:

Noel was a civilian photographer. He took pictures of Pfc John E. Ford, 15258642, Dossier No. 8051274, and a group of men from Pennsylvania. These photos were sent to the men's families.

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E X C E R P T

<u>NOEL, Frank</u>	<u>Capt.</u>	<u>Link</u>	<u>0 8054015</u>	
Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area

The following information was obtained from Cpl Thomas J. Bean, 2nd Army, ASN RA 13317020, during an interview o/a 8 Sep 53:

Noel was a photographer for news syndicate. He took several photos of the men in the camp for the Chinese. He took 2 hundreds of pictures of the men by states.

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NOEL, Frank

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

RA 15067302

Bayes, Thomas Jr, Sgt., during interrogation on 6 Sep 53

made the following statement concerning NOEL, Frank

"Frank Noel made numerous shots of camp life and also took photographs of groups consisting of PsW from a specific part in the U.S."

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NOEL, Frank

Capt.

Unk

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Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Cpl Otis G. Balckburn, US 52002028, dossier 8052192, stated that one Frank Knolls (probably NOEL) took group photos on 25 Dec 52, for publication in the U.S. newspapers.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

BORG, Claud W., Capt., O-1300544, during interrogation on 14 Sep 53

made the following statement concerning NOEL, Frank

"SOURCE states that Frank NOEL WAS photographed in a group of 4 California officers at Camp #2."

"SOURCE states that Frank NOEL was transferred in to his camp in Feb or March 1951."

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NOEL, Frank

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Rank

ASN

Dossier No:

Army Area

Cpl Daniel Bolden, R 13166392, dossier 8052203, stated that Frank NOEL, Associated Press Correspondent, was reported to be traveling about the various camps taking pictures of PWs engaging in sports events. NOEL also took pictures of the Olympics held at Pyuktong.

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KNOWLES, Frank Civilian -----
Name Rank ASN Dossier No: Army Area

The following information was obtained from Sgt Howard H. Brandt,
RA 13279709, during an interview o/a 6 Sep 53:

Knowles was a photographer. He took pictures of the men in the camp
in the Summer of 1952.

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(NOEL, Frank)

NOLES, fnu

Name _____ RANK _____ ASN _____ Dossier No. _____ Army Area _____

Sgt BRADFORD, Henry E., BA 36305824, made the following statement during his interrogation on 28 Aug 53:

NOLES, fnu, a newspaper correspondent, who became a PW, photographed groups of PWs. The photographs were to be sent to the United States.

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E X C E R P T

<u>NOEL</u> <u>Frank</u>	<u>Capt</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>C8054015</u>
Name	Rank		Dossier No. Army Area

Capt Alexander M BOYSEN , SN 059612 , dossier C8052240 , stated substantially the following concerning Noel , during BOYSEN'S interrogation on 12 September 1953 .

Noel took pictures of groups of prisoners at Camp #2 about December 1951. This was strictly voluntary.

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NOEL, Frank

Capt

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Name

Rank

ASN

Dossier No: Army Area

Pfc Mathew Bowling, 2006201, dossier 8052234, stated that Frank NOEL, American newspaper photographer, took pictures of everybody, including groups from the same state. Presumably these pictures(taken with a still camera) were to be sent to the U.S. to the home states of the Psw concerned.

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NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO	ARMY AREA
KNOWLES, Frank				

M/Sgt Howard E Bostwick, RA38434580, during an interrogation on 11 September 1953, stated that SUBJECT was taken out of the POW camp and moved into a house in the town. He was kept under guard there and could leave the house only to take photographs of the prisoners.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Capt

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Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No: Army Area
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SFC William F. Borer, 12275803, dossier 8052217, stated that Frank NOEL (note: report has name spelled Knowles) an American newspaper-photographer, occasionally came to camp, would stay two or three days taking pictures of groups of soldiers from different states, and send them to a neutral zone for publication in stateside papers. Pictures were taken with a still camera.

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NOEL, Frank	Capt	8054015
Name	Rank	ASN
		Dossier No.

Army Area

The following information was obtained from ~~Robert A. Brown~~
ASN RA20368601, during an interview o/a 6 Sept 53.
Noel (Correspondent A.P.) took group pictures of the PW and sent them
to hometown newspapers. Source believes that Noel took his pictures at
various angles purposely to include as much of the camp background as
possible. No other info given.

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NOEL, Frank	Unk	N/A	N/A	N/A
NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO	ARMY AREA

M/Sgt Johnnie C Brown, RAI4291360, during an interrogation on 16 September 1953, stated that SUBJECT **took photographs of prisoners.**

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NOEL, Frank	Capt.	8054015
Name	Rank	ASN
		Dossier No: Army Area

Cpl Jack Browning, RA 13320088, dossier 8052302, stated that SUBJECT, an American newspaper photographer, came to camp 3 in 1952 and took group pictures of men from various states. NOEL told them that the pictures would be sent to local newspapers (home town) in the U.S.

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NOEL, Frank	Capt	none	8054015
Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No: Army Area

M/Sgt J.C. Bridges, Ra 6930331, dossier 8052260, stated that some group photographs were made in the fall of 51 and the spring of 52 by press photographer Frank Noel. (note: NOEL was an American newspaper-photographer).

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NOEL, Frank

Correspondent

-0-8054015

NAME

RANK

ASN

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Captain Paul F BROMSER, 0-1823399, during interrogation on 9 September 1953, stated that Frank NOEL took many pictures of the men of Camp #2 for their hometown newspapers.

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NOEL, Frank

Name RANK ASN Dossier No. Army Area

Sgt BRYANT, Lonnie G., RA 44097858, made the following statement during his interrogation on 28 Aug 53:

NOEL, Frank, a U.S. newsman, took pictures of the men while they were grouped according to their state. Noel stated that these pictures would be published in the States.

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<u>NOEL, Frank</u>	RANK	ASN	<u>C8054015</u>	ARMY AREA
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Cpl Lester E Williams, US54021989, during an interrogation on 29 August 1953, stated NOEL would occasionally come to camp #1 and take group photographs of the prisoners in normal camp life.

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E X C E R P T

Name NOEL, Frank Grado SN Dossier No. Army Area

made the

following statement during HIS interrogation on 20 Aug 53

NOEL lived outside the PW Camp.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank Sept Rank ASN C8054015 Dossier No. Army Area

"Cpl Henry D WILLIAMS Jr , SN BA16330133 , dossier 08054073 , stated substantially the following concerning Noel , during Williams' interrogation on 4 September 1953 .

Noel took pictures of the prisoners at Camp #3.

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E X C E R P T

<u>NOEL, Frank</u>	<u>Capt</u>	<u>Unk</u>	<u>C-8054015</u>	<u>Unk</u>
NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO	ARMY AREA

During an interrogation on 15 Aug 1953, Sgt Purvis D WEBSTER, RA38061043, stated that NOEL took a number of photographs for the prisoners to send home.

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PREPARING OFFICE: AC of S, G2, Headquarters Third Army, Ft McPherson, Ga.

E X C E R P T

NOELS, Frank Civilian
Name Grade SN Dossier No. Army Area

Sfc Roland Watts, RA7083266 made the
following statement during HIS interrogation on 1 Sep 1953

NOELS, Frank (news correspondent) took pictures of PWs, grouped by state, to
be sent to the states in the Spring of 1952.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank (civilian)

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

Peter Yacko submitted the following information re the
above individual.

NOEL took a few pictures in 1952. In the summer of 51 PWS were sent out to a hill side where a mock battle was staged. This was photographed by movie cameras. Just prior to release Chinese photographers over ran the camp, taking all sorts of pictures of camp life.

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Noel, Frank (Civilian)

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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WOJCIK, Francis J. submitted the following information re the above individual.

Frank Noel took numerous pictures of prisoners engaging in various activities believed to be used for propaganda purposes.

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Civilian

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<u>NOEL, Frank</u>	<u>Capt</u>	<u>Unk</u>	<u>C-8054015</u>	<u>Unk</u>
NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO	ARMY AREA

During an interrogation on 3 Sep 1953, Sgt Edwin W VOLVERS, RA38054733, stated that NOEL took pictures of various groups at Company 9, 3rd Regt.

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NOEL, Frank
NAME

Capt
RANK

C-8054015
DOSSIER NO

ARMY AREA

Sgt Jose AMBRIZ, RA-18310638, during an interrogation on 27 August 1953, stated that NOEL took pictures of prisoners at Camp # 3, which were allegedly used for propaganda purposes.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank

Captain

C-8054015

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Sfc James A. ALT, RA13276608, dossier C-8052007 stated that Frank, NOEL photographed him (ALT) with a still camera. NOEL told the men that the pictures which he took would go to their homes.

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NOEL Frank Capt C8054015
Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

Sergeant Bobby J ADKINS, SN RA 13305097, dossier C8051979, stated substantially the following concerning Noel, during ADKINS' interrogation on 9 September 1953:

In June 1952, Noel took photographs of the prisoners at Camp #4 which were to be sent home to their families.

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E X C E P T

NOEL, Frank (civilian)

Name	Rank	Serial	Dossier No.	Army Area
Ronald E. ALIEY				

submitted the following information re the
above individual.

NOEL took many pictures for AP cleared by the chinese. When Noel took a picture, a chinese photographer would take the same shot with another camera.

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NOEL, Frank

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NAME

RANK

ASN

DOSSIER NO

ARMY AREA

Capt Millard Allen, 0-1179759, during an interrogation on 14 September 1953, stated that NOEL took group photographs of "buddies" in the camp.

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E X C E R P T

<u>NOEL, Frank</u>	<u>Civilian</u>			
Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area

The following information concerning NOEL was obtained from 1/Lt James V. Bailey, 02266103, during an interview 2 Sept 53:

NOEL took pictures of the officers.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank Capt

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

Cpl Joe H. Ascue, RA 13338162, dossier C 8052042, stated that Frank NOEL took pictures of the American PsW during the "Olympic games."

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E X C E R P T

NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO	ARMY AREA
NOEL, Fnu	Unk	Unk	Unk	Unk

Cpl Glen C Wilson, R417248450, during an interrogation on 19 August 1953, stated that NOEL was transferred for influencing the other PoW.

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<u>NOELS, Frank</u>	<u>Capt</u>	<u>C-8054015</u>	<u>Unk</u>
NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO
			ARMY USA

SFC Wyatt BRYD, RA-34633931, during an interrogation on 10 September 1953, stated that NOELS took group pictures of prisoners.

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E X C E R P T

<u>NOEL, Frank</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>DOSSIER NO</u>	<u>Unk</u>	<u>ARMY AREA</u>
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Sgt Vernon W Carlton, RA14267822, during an interrogation on 1 August 1953, stated NOEL took pictures of the prisoners to send back to the states.

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EXCELSIOR

Hoch, Frank Capt Un: 8954015 Hank
Name Rank ASN Dossier No: Army Area

Following information concerning NOEL was obtained from MSgt John E. Burton C8052337 (2nd Army) :

NOEL was put in prison for attempted escape.

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NOEL, Frank Capt 8054015
Name Rank ASN Dossier No: Army Area

Sgt Edward M. Carrington, RA13166556, dossier 8052393, stated that SUBJECT had occasions to report to camp officials during night and day-light hours, and ~~also~~ the privilege of living outside the prison compound. No other info given. Added: SUBJECT was born over there.

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NOEL, Frank	Capt	---	8054015
Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No: Army Area

Pfc William R. Burke, US 52046856, dossier 8052328, stated that several times the PsU were photographed by Frank Noel, American newspaper photographer who was a PsW. The pictures showed PsW holding hogs, cans of meat, pans of sugar, sports events."

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E X C E R P T

NOEL

NIEL, Frank

NAME

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ASN

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DOSSIER NO

ARMY AREA

SFC Harold G. Burnett, RA17232739, during an interrogation on 13 Sept. 1953, stated SUBJECT took pictures of sports events.

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EXCERPT

KNOELL, Frank

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

CARAVEAU, Jackie N., US56070827, Sfc during interrogation on 15 Sep 53

made the following statement concerning KNOELL, Frank

KNOELL took a picture of Subject, Sgt William Geyer, Sgt George Crawford, Sgt Lonnie Kelly, in a group, this picture was published in the Subjects home town paper.

KNOELL took many pictures of groups of PsW and these pictures would be sent to the states to be put in newspapers for propaganda purposes.

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KNOWLES, Frank

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NAME

RANK

ASN

DOSSIER NO

ARMY AREA

During an interrogation on 6 Sep 1953, Sgt Henry VALENCIA, RA18321120, stated that KNOWLES took many pictures of the prisoners of war at the Camp Olympics in August 1950. These pictures were taken with both still and movie cameras.

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NOEL, Frank

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

TUOM, Mervin J., Cpl, RA 39336018, during interrogation on 17 Aug 53

made the following statement concerning NOEL, Frank

SUBJECT states that Frank NOEL took group pictures of the prisoners.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

Sgt James R. Tracy US 52054539 made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Tracy's interrogation on
17 Aug 53

Took pictures at Camp #5 of Sports Events, Religious Services and
Group and Individual pictures. Frank Noel was an A.P. Photographer.

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NOEL, Frank

Captain

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Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Cpl Nicholas V. Tosques, RA 43069617, dossier C 8054767, stated that on one occasion, Frank NOEL, news correspondent, photographed Tosques and five other PsW in a group. A still camera was used. The photo allegedly was taken for dispatch to the parents of PsW in the United States.

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NOELS, Frank
NAME

Capt

RANK

ASN

C-8054015

DOSSIER NO

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ARMY AREA

Cpl Marguerito TRUJILLO, RA-18253556, during an interrogation on 9 September 1953, stated that NOELS took group pictures of the prisoners at Camp # 3 in the spring of 1952.

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~~KNOWLES, Frank~~

NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO	ARMY AREA
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Sgt L. V. SWAIN, RA-38159332, during an interrogation on 20 August 1953, stated that KNOWLES was transferred to Camp # 3.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank (civilian)

Name Rank USA Dossier No. Army Area

Guy T. VADALA submitted the following information re the
above individual.

NOEL took pictures , several were group pictures of PWS. The men were told that the pictures would be sent to the United States.

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NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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TAMAKI, Yoshio, Cpl, RA 1010424, made the following statement concerning NOEL, Frank, during TAMAKI's interrogation on 10 August 1953.

10. "During special occasions such as Christmas or other holidays they (Chinese) took many still and motion pictures. They very seldom took pictures otherwise. Frank NOEL took many pictures."

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NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO	ARMY AREA
NOEL, Frank	Capt	Unk	C-8054015	Unk

During an interrogation on 5 Sep 1953, Cpl James H SWEENEY, RAL8339620, stated that NOEL took group pictures of the prisoners of war at Camp # 3.

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NOEL, Frank

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

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STINNETT, Henry Jr., RA 16307883, during interrogation on 8 Sep 53
made the following statement concerning Noel, Frank

Noel, Frank took group pictures two or three times. Source did not know the reason for his taking photographs but they were sometimes published in newspapers in the United States.

Source, Moyer, Ralph; Edwards, fmu; and two other prisoners were photographed by Noel, Frank at Camp #5 in 1952.

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NOEL, Frank	Unk	Unk	Unk	Unk

Sgt Lovis C Stanford, RA18315330, during an interrogation on 2 September 1953, stated that NOEL took photographs of the prisoners and that he has some information on atrocities.

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E X C E P T

Noel, Frank (civilian)

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

SHADISH, William B. submitted the following information re the
above individual.

Frank Noel took a picture of Source and four other medical officers in Camp #2 and said that when he got out he was going to write a story about the rotten medical treatment of the POW's.

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NOEL, Frank _____ Name _____ Rank _____ ASN _____ Dossier No. _____ Army Area _____

RHATIGAN, William C. _____ submitted the following information re the
above individual.

NOEL, Frank took some still pictures at Camp #1.

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NOEL, Frank

1st Lt

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ARMY AREA

M/Sgt Preston E RICHIE, RA 38562869, during an interrogation on 1 Sep 53, stated that NOEL made photographs for the Chinese and did not live within the prison compound.

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NOEL, Frank

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NAME

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ARMY AREA

SFC Ishmael Scott, RA38515926, during an interrogation on 2 September 1953, stated ~~EMILY~~ NOEL, a captured AP Correspondent, took still pictures of men in groups. He took two pictures of Scott. These pictures were taken to be sent home to the PsW families.

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CIVILIAN

NOEL, Frank
NAME

Capt

RANK

None

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ARMY AREA

Pfc Eugene Scott, RAI9349300, during an interrogation on 8 September 1953, stated NOEL took group photographs of the prisoners during the winter of 1951.

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NOEL, Frank

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

SCOTT, James J. Jr., Sgt RA 33982837 during interrogation on 14 Sep 53

made the following statement concerning Noel, Frank.

Frank Noel would get men together in groups by cities or states and take pictures for hometown newspapers. Chinese Photographers took group pictures of prisoners engaged in recreational activities and in hospitals frequently with their knowledge for propaganda purposes.

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NOEL, Frank

Capt

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ARMY AREA

Cpl Richard SCHNEIDER, RA-26922847, during an interrogation on 27 August 1953, stated that NOEL frequently took group photographs of prisoners in Camp # 1, which were allegedly sent to the United States.

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NOEL, Frank (civilian)

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Bernard N. RENOUE submitted the following information re the
above individual.

NOEL often took photographs of the men also, apparently to be sent to their families. Prisoners were constantly photographed by the Chinese using both still and motion picture cameras, in situations as special dinners, issuance of supplies, sports, probably for propaganda purposes.

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NOEL, Frank

Name Rank ASW Dossier No. Army Area

QUARLES, Deward E., MSgt, RA6833586, during interrogation on 10 Sep 53

Made the following statement concerning NOEL, Frank.

"Frank NOEL took pictures of groups from certain states in 1951 and 1952. Used a still camera. Pictures would supposedly be sent to home town papers."

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KNOLE, Frank

Name

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Rank

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Dossier No.

Army Area

Cpl Manuel RAMIREZ, RA-18355913, during an interrogation on 29 August 1953, stated that KNOLE photographed prisoners at Camp # 3, to send the pictures to the United States.

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NOEL, Frank
Name

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Army Area

Cpl George RANDOLPH, RA-18133711, during an interrogation on 19 August 1953, stated that NOEL was reported to the Chinese for telling a group of prisoners that he would send the names of prisoners signing Peace Appeals to the American people.

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NOEL, Frank

Name RANK ASN Dossier No. Army Area

Sgt PRICE, Richard, RA 14083477, made the following statement during his interrogation on 28 Aug 53:

NOEL, Frank took photographs of the men to send to the United States.

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1. NOWLES, Frank

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

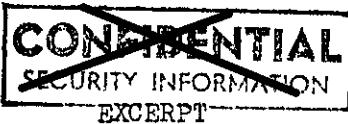
Ramsey, Joseph H. RA19295488, Cpl, during interrogation on 29 Aug 53

made the following statement concerning NOWLES, Frank

"In Sept 1951, Camp #5, all the PW's were photographed singly by a Chinese photographer using a still camera. This was a part of PW processing. In Jan or Feb 1952 Mr. FRANK NOWLES took a group picture at Camp #3; no inf on purpose of pictures."

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NOEL, Frank

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

ROBERTSON, Alan B., ER 18044168, SFC, during interrogation on 8 Sep 53,

made the following statement concerning NOEL, Frank

"Frank Noel took group pictures."



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NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.	ARMY AREA

During an interrogation on 18 Aug 1953, Cpl Gene L ROBERTS, RAI8320027, stated that NOEL took a great deal of pictures at Camp # 5.

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NOEL, Frank

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Pfc Clark H Robinson, RA18281856, during an interrogation on 2 September 1953, stated NOEL took group pictures in camp #3

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During an interrogation on 31 Aug 1953, Sgt Robert J RODRIGUEZ, RA20432117, stated that NOEL took many pictures of the prisoners of war while at Camp # 3 during 1952.

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KNOWLES, Frank

NAME

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ARMY AREA

Pfc George Rogers, RA18275475, during an interrogation on 6 September 1953, stated KNOWLES took pictures of groups of prisoners in the latter part of 1951. It is believed these pictures were to be sent to the United States. These group pictures consisted of people from the same home state. In August 1952, at a swimming meet in Camp #3, some Chinese and KNOWLES took pictures of various groups of swimmers. Still cameras were used. Some of the prisoners were given prints of some of the pictures taken.

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NOEL, Frank
NAME

Capt
RANK

None
ASN

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DOSSIER NO

ARMY AREA

SFC Frank Reck, ER18246056, during an interrogation on 11 September 1953, stated NOEL took pictures of the prisoners and of athletic events. These pictures were used by the Chinese for propaganda purposes. They were taken at Camp #1.

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NOEL, Frank

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ARMY AREA

Sgt Doyle L Reedy, RA18311636, during an interrogation on 3 September 1953, stated that NOEL took group pictures of Reedy on two occasions.

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NOEL, Frank	Unk	Unk	Unk	Unk
NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO	ARMY AREA

Pfc Robert L Smith, RAL8273545, during an interrogation on 3 September 1953, stated that NOEL took pictures of the prisoners for their home town newspapers.

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NOELS, Frank Capt C-3054015 Unk
NAME RANK ASN LOSSIER NO. CITY AREA

Cpl Jessie Sizemore, RA-18334832, during an interrogation on 1 September 1953, stated that SUBJECT took group pictures of all prisoners at Camp # 3 and sent them to newspapers in the United States.

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A.P. Photographer

NOEL, Frank	Capt	Unk	C-8054015	Unk
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During an interrogation on 4 Aug 1953, PFC Walter B DIXON,
BA-17266334, stated substantially as follows:

NOEL took pictures of of prisoners of war.

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NOEL, Frank
NAME

Capt

RANK

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DOSSIER NO

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ARMY AREA

M/Sgt Leonard SCOTT, RA-6958842, during an interrogation on 12 September 1953, stated that SUBJFCT **took group pictures of the prisoners at Camp # 3 in early 1952.**

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NOELS, Frank Capt C-8054015 Unk
NAME RANK POW/ER NO ARY/ABR

SFC Bobby SHEPPARD, RA-17249548, during an interrogation on 1 September 1953, stated that NOELS took group pictures of prisoners which were sent to US newspapers.

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<u>NOEL, Frank</u>	<u>Capt</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>C-8054015</u>	<u>—</u>
NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO	ARMY AREA

Cpl. Curtis A. Thompson, RA18256068, during an interrogation on 6 September 1953, stated that NOEL took group pictures of the PoW.

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NOEL, Frank

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DOSSIER NO

ARMY AREA

Cpl Jackie R Thompson, RA18315371, during an interrogation on 5 September 1953, stated that NOEL took group photographs of the prisoners.

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NOEL, Frank

Capt

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Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

The following information was obtained from Cpl Charles E. Taylor, RA 15441754, during an interview o/a 22 Aug 53.

Note: According to Taylor, a man by this name was in the same camp with him, while the Capt. Frank Noel was held in Camp #2 and not in Camp #5 where the interviewee was incarcerated.

Noel photographed the American prisoners in all types of activities.

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NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.	ARMY AREA
NOEL, Frank	Capt	Unk	C-8054015	Unk

During an interrogation on 4 Sep 1953, PFC William E SMITH, RAI8347412, stated that NOEL took group pictures of the prisoners with a still camera during 1952. These pictures were to be sent to the prisoners homes in the United States.

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EXCERPT

Frank Noel

Associated Press

Name	Rank	Serial No.	Service
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SOURCE: <u>Richard E. Marks</u>	<u>Lt Col</u>	<u>A0 789 336</u>	<u>U.S. Air Force</u>
Name	Rank	Serial No.	Service

When interviewed by the Joint Intelligence Processing Board, the Source as shown furnished the following information relative to the individual named above, (Source did not furnish further identifying data).

Source objected publicly when SUBJECT tried to take pictures of a Catholic service being held by Chaplain Sam Davis of the Gloucestershire Regiment. SUBJECT also took pictures of prisoners wearing padded uniforms making them look robust and healthy, this being good propaganda material.

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EXCERPT

<u>Frank Wool</u>	<u>Civilian</u>	<u>Non Correspondent</u>	
Name	Rank	Serial No.	Service

SOURCE: <u>Walker M. Mahurin</u>	<u>Col</u>	<u>8 658 A</u>	<u>U.S. Air Force</u>
Name	Rank	Serial No.	Service

When interviewed by the Joint Intelligence Processing Board, the Source as shown furnished the following information relative to the individual named above, (Source did not furnish further identifying data).

Source passed a white man, believed to be Subject, in Pyoktong. Source stated that it was difficult to understand how a POW could be treated in such a lax fashion. Subject said hello to Source and then added "I think I'll go for a swim". He was walking alone and unguarded but was in a POW uniform.

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EXCERPT

FRANK HOEL

AP Correspondent

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Service

SOURCE: James H. Edwards T/Sgt AF 14328337 U.S. Air Force
Name Rank Serial No. Service

When interviewed by the Joint Intelligence Processing Board, the Source as shown furnished the following information relative to the individual named above, (Source did not furnish further identifying data).

Took pictures of prisoners at Camp #2 during latter part of 1952 with Chinese sanction. Was removed from the camp in 1952, destination unknown.

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2 Dec 1953

EXCERPT

Heel, Frank

Name	Rank	Serial No.	Service
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SOURCE: <u>Coyle, George L. Jr.</u>	<u>1st Lt</u>	<u>A0944764</u>	<u>U.S. AIR FORCE</u>
Name	Rank	Serial No.	Service

When interviewed by the Joint Intelligence Processing Board, the Source as shown, furnished the following information relative to the individual named above, (Source did not furnish further identifying data).

S states HEEL took group pictures at Camp 2 during Jan and Apr 52. Some Pictures were seen at later dates in Communist Magazines and papers.

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24 November 1953

EXCERPT

Knowel, Frank

(Ass. Press Photographer)

	Name	Rank	Serial No.	Service
SOURCE:	Nullins, James B., Jr.	S/Sgt	AF 39 372 968	U.S. Air Force
	Name	Rank	Serial No.	Service

When interviewed by the Joint Intelligence Processing Board, the Source as shown, furnished the following information relative to the individual named above, (Source did not furnish further identifying data).

Took pictures in Camp #2 during Spring 1952.

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EXCERPT

Frank Noels (Associated Press)

Name	Rank	Serial No.	Service
<u>SCURCE: Dean, Burl D.</u>	<u>S/Sgt</u>	<u>AF15408494</u>	<u>U.S. Air Force</u>
Name	Rank	Serial No.	Service

When interviewed by the Joint Intelligence Processing Board, the Source as shown, furnished the following information relative to the individual named above, (Source did not furnish further identifying data).

He was interned at same Camp, photographed various groups of American. Dean later learned that these photographs found their way back to the U.S.

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7 Dec 1963
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<u>NOEL, Frank</u>	Name	Rank	Serial No.	Service
<u>Hedlund, Harry V.</u>	<u>Capt</u>	<u>A0772368</u>		<u>U.S. Air Force</u>
SOURCE:	Name	Rank	Serial No.	Service

When interviewed by the Joint Intelligence Processing Board, the Source as shown, furnished the following information relative to the individual named above, (Source did not furnish further identifying data).

*as study Group leader for about two weeks. Got fired.

Was required to report to Camp officials.

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EXCERPT

Hool, Frank (Associated Press) _____
Name Rank Serial No. Service

SOURCE: Ensign, George J. _____
Name Rank Serial No. Service
U.S. Air Force

When interviewed by the Joint Intelligence Processing Board, the Source as shown, furnished the following information relative to the individual named above, (Source did not furnish further identifying data).

Subject took group photos for his paper.

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EXCERPT

Neal, Frank

Name

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Rank

Serial No.

Service

SOURCE: Miller, Loris R.

Name

1st Lt

A01209888

U.S. Air Force

Rank

Serial No.

Service

When interviewed by the Joint Intelligence Processing Board, the Source as shown, furnished the following information relative to the individual named above, (Source did not furnish further identifying data).

Subject took pictures of groups of prisoners to send to the U.S.

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EXCERPT

Noel, Frank

AP Photographer

Name	Rank	Serial No.	Service
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<u>SOURCE: Morgan, Donald T.</u>	<u>1st Lt</u>	<u>AO1908941</u>	<u>U.S. Air Force</u>
Name	Rank	Serial No.	Service

When interviewed by the Joint Intelligence Processing Board, the Source as shown, furnished the following information relative to the individual named above, (Source did not furnish further identifying data).

Subject took still pictures Lt Morgan and Group supposedly to be sent back to the U.S.

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EXCERPT

Noel, Frank

(AP Photographer)

Name	Rank	Serial No.	Service
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SOURCE: <u>Mounts, Thomas T.</u>	1st Lt	A01920984	U.S. Air Force
Name	Rank	Serial No.	Service

When interviewed by the Joint Intelligence Processing Board, the Source as shown, furnished the following information relative to the individual named above, (Source did not furnish further identifying data).

Took group picture of POW's during March and April 1968. These pictures were to be mailed to the U. S.

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EXCERPT

Noels, Frank

A P Photographer

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Service

SOURCE: Murray, John R. 1st Lt A01903577 U.S. Air Force
Name Rank Serial No. Service

When interviewed by the Joint Intelligence Processing Board, the Source as shown, furnished the following information relative to the individual named above, (Source did not furnish further identifying data).

Permitted to live separately after 1st release of POW names to UN
Prior considered as military Prisoner, later belligerent civilian.

Took numerous photos of group for identification pictures for U.N.

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EXCERPT

Noel, Frank

Name

A P photographer

Rank

Serial No.

Service

SOURCE: Jefforde, Jacques H. Cpl AF17257398 U.S. Air Force
Name Rank Serial No. Service

When interviewed by the Joint Intelligence Processing Board, the Source as shown, furnished the following information relative to the individual named above, (Source did not furnish further identifying data).

At athletic meets, still pictures were made, pictures taken by Frank Noel.

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<u>Naal, Frank</u>	<u>Civ</u>	<u>UP Correspondent</u>		
Name		Rank	Serial No.	Service

<u>SOURCE: Lemke, Robert C.</u>	<u>Capt</u>	<u>A01903238</u>	<u>U.S. Air Force</u>	
Name		Rank	Serial No.	Service

When interviewed by the Joint Intelligence Processing Board, the Source as shown, furnished the following information relative to the individual named above, (Source did not furnish further identifying data).

Source stated subject did photography work for U P and material was processed by Chinese. Source assumed work was done for propaganda other than work by subject.

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KNOWLES, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Cpl Edward A Rub RA 15280597
Frank Knowles
1 Sep 1953.

made the following statement concerning
during Rub 's interrogation on

Frank Knowles took group pictures of prisoners at camp.

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CIVILIAN

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
John M. Schemer ER 16225884 Cpl				
Frank Noel				
28 August 1953				

Frank Noel made the following statement concerning
during Schemer's interrogation on

Noel photographed the prisoners in groups at the request of PSW who wanted
to send photographs home. Noel used a still camera.

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NOEL, Frank

Name	RANK	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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SCHAD, Alvin J. G. made the following statement concerning
NOEL, Frank during SCHAD's interrogation on
25 Aug 53.

NOEL, Frank, cameraman, visited Camp 1, several times and took photographs of groups of PW from the same state. Movie and still camera shots were taken. Chinese would take pictures of PW at sports activities and of PW while they were working about the camp and standing by huts. Photo's used by Chinese for propaganda purposes to show how well PW were being treated at camp.

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KNOWLES, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Cpl Raymond P Reed US 57514720
Frank Knowles
1 Sep 53

made the following statement concerning
during **Reed** 's interrogation on

Knowles took group photos with a press speed-graphic.

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NOEL, Frank

NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.	ARMY AREA
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Pfc Frank J Reichl
Noel made the following statement concerning
28 Aug 53. during Reichl's interrogation on

Noel, US press photographer, photographed prisoners when they ostensibly received rations.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Prow, James D., PFC, ER 35967315 made the following statement concerning
Noel, Frank during Prow 's interrogation on
30 August 1953.

Noel was a captured U. S. war correspondent and took photographs frequently
of groups. The pictures were taken at sporting events, in State groups, at
ration details, etc. In SUBJECT's opinion Noel was forced to take pictures for
the Chinese and did not do it voluntarily. Both still and movie cameras were
used.

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E X C E R P T

NOELS, Frank

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

Pough, Albert Jr., W/Sgt., RA 16260907 made the following statement concerning
Noels, Frank during **Pough** 's interrogation on
1 September 1953.

Noels was a photographer and took pictures at Camp #5 in summer of 1952 which
were to be sent to the States.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

~~REAM, Gilbert E. SPC PA 16262374 C5554258~~

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Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Gilbert E. REAM
Frank Noel

made the following statement concerning
during SUBJECT 's interrogation on 2 Sept 1953

NOEL - SUBJECT states that Frank Noel photographed several groups of prisoners. These pictures were allegedly taken to be published in US newspapers.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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ROOK, Richard O, Sfc, ER 16240002 made the following statement concerning
NOEL, Frank during ROOK's interrogation on
5 September 1953.

Noel was an AP correspondent who took group pictures of prisoners at athletic meetings using a speed graphic camera; for Chinese propaganda purposes.

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E X C E R P T

Noel, Frank

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

Sgt Raymond J Provenzano, US 55044013 made the following statement concerning
Frank, Noel during Provenzano's interrogation on
2 September 53

Noel, took some group pictures at Camp #5 Company #3.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
SAKSEFSKI, Norbert F, Cpl, RAI630428				
NOEL, Frank				
30 Aug 53.				

SAKSEFSKI made the following statement concerning
NOEL, Frank during SAKSEFSKI 's interrogation on
30 Aug 53.

Noel took Christmas group pictures; some were used in the camp olympics books
while others were supposedly published in US papers.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Sfc Bob T. Smith, RA 44127929 made the following statement concerning Frank Noel during Smith's interrogation on 7 Sep 1953.

Frank Noel Took some pictures with a still camera on two different occasions.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Siebert, Gerald, Pfc, RA17261091 made the following statement concerning
Noel, Frank during **Siebert** 's interrogation on
31 August 1953.

Noel took group pictures of the men from different states. These pictures were supposed to be sent to the families for Christmas. He also took pictures of prisoners engaged in sports activities.

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EXCERPT

KNOWLES, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Louis Signorile made the following statement concerning
Frank KNOWLES during Signorile's interrogation on
30 August 1953.

Frank KNOWLES took some group photographs of individuals from
the same geographic location in the United States and stated that
they would be sent to the home towns of the prisoners to let their
folks know they were alive and well.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name RANK ASN Dossier No. Army Area

Cpl Arnold L Siebert RA 16308167 made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Siebert 's interrogation on
3 Sept 53:

He photographed groups of PW.

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KNOWLES, Frank

Civilian

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Harry T. Falck Opl RA35240294 made the following statement concerning
Frank Knowles during Falck's interrogation on
4 Sep 53

Knowles took group pictures of PsW from the same geographic areas
that Chinese photographers took pictures. Knowles sent these pictures
to his newspaper.

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E X C E R P T

<u>NOEL, Frank</u>	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Sgt Earl W Shewalter RA 39375044 made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Shewalter's interrogation on
30 Aug 53

Noel, Frank took pictures of the participants in sporting events and they
were sent back to his paper in the US.

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EXCERPT

Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Schwartz, Frederick, Cpl., RA 37595475 made the following statement concerning
Noel, Frank during Schwartz's interrogation on
27 August 1953.

Noel was a US newsman and took pictures of prisoners, prior to Christmas of 1952, grouped according to the states they represented. He used a 4 X 5 press camera and stated that pictures were to be sent to states for newspapers.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Marion E. Perkins RA 15417942 Sgt made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during **Perkins**'s interrogation on
2 Sep 1953

Noel took some group pictures using a still camera. Pictures were used for propaganda.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Carl Risner, Cpl., ER35965184
Frank Noel
2 Sep 53

made the following statement concerning
during Risner's 's interrogation on

Noel photographed some prisoners a few times, by use of a still camera.
He said the pictures would be sent back to the states.

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Robb, Arlo L. made the following statement concerning
Frank Noble during Robb's interrogation on
5 September 1953:

At Camp 1, Noble of the United Press, took pictures of sporting events.

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NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Ori, John A., 1st Lt., 0-1825768 made the following statement concerning
Noel, Frank during Ori's interrogation on
9 September 1953.

Noel was an AP photographer and took pictures of prisoners from different states, in groups. He used a still camera. ORI believes the pictures were used for propaganda purposes.

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E X C & R P T

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
KRENZ, Darrell J Cpl, RA 16309206 Frank Noel 3 September 1953				

Made the following statement concerning
during SUBJECT 's interrogation on

Noel took a number of group pictures with a still camera, and SUBJECT believes that the pictures were made to show that the prisoners were well cared for in the prison camp because the pictures were sent to the US and published in the newspapers. Noel took pictures twice.

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E X C L R P T

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
Sgt. John C King	RA 35 800 984			
Noel, Frank				
17 September 1953				

made the following statement concerning
during **SUBJECT** 's interrogation on

10. Noel took still photos of groups of prisoners.

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E X C T D P T

NOEL FRANK

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
Sgt. Tommy G. Romero				
RA 17 250 615				
Frank Noel				
1 September 53				

Made the following statement concerning
during SUBJECT 's interrogation on

Noel late in 1952, was brought into the camp to take pictures of the prisoners. For these pictures the prisoners were assembled in groups according to the state they represented. These pictures were to have been sent to the families of the prisoners.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Paulina, John, Cpl, RA13315576 made the following statement concerning
Noel, Frank during Paulina's interrogation on
27 August 1953.

Noel was an AP cameraman. He took photographs of PsW in groups. Some
PsW received pictures taken by Noel in letters from their families. The
photos were used for propaganda purposes.

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NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Henry S. Padilla, PFC, US 55033616 made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Padilla's interrogation on
31 Aug 53

Noel took some group pictures of the prisoners. These pictures were supposed
to be sent to the prisoners' families at home.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Petersen, Donald W., Cpl., RA 17260223de the following statement concerning
Noel, Frank during Petersen's interrogation on
26 August 1953.

Noel was an American newspaper photographer and took group pictures at Christmas
holidays and also at the inter camp 1 athletic meet.

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NOELS? Frank

NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.	ARMY AREA
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1st Lt, Philip H. Peterson made the following statement concerning
Noels, Frank during PETERSON 's interrogation on
2 Sept 53

Noels, took individual and group pictures; Peterson saw some of these pictures,
that were clipped from US newspapers and then mailed to the PW's by their
families.

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NOELLS, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
Bernard H. Radoszewski	Capt.	01289622		
Frank Noells				following statement concerning
10 Sep 53				Radoszewski's

Noells took group photos of prisoners, with a press camera.

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EXCERPT

NOELS, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Phillip E Teague 1st Lt. 0955853
Frank Noels during 's interrogation on
14 Sep 53 Teague

Noels had the privilege of living outside the prison compound.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name : Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area
MONTZ, William C. made the following statement concerning
Cpl, RA 13335189 during **SUBJECT** 's interrogation on
Frank Noel **31 August 1953**

Noel took pictures of groups of men from the same state.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Millard A. Kaessner, Sgt, RA 37345919 made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Kaessner's interrogation on
4 Sep 53

Noel took many photographs of the prisoners.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
KATSAROS, Steve, Sfc, ER57511273				
NOEL, Frank				
1 Sept 53.				

made the following statement concerning
during KATSAROS's interrogation on

Frank Noel took pictures in all camps and sent them to the Associated Press.

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NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Ingram, Lloyd E., SFC, RA 6932 686 made the following statement concerning
Noel, Frank during Ingram's interrogation on
11 September 1953.

Noel took some group pictures with a still camera to send home to US newspapers.

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NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.	ARMY AREA
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Krueger, Ralph H. made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Krueger's interrogation on
10 August 1953:

Noel, an AP photographer, took many photographs of prisoners and
athletic events.

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E X C L P P T

NCII, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Ivanushka, Michael, 1st Lt., 01322195 made the following statement concerning
Noel, Frank during Ivanushka 's interrogation on
9 September 1953.

Noel was editor of the wall newspaper which was in existence in the early part
of 1951. Noel was a civilian and photographer.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, FRANK

NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.	ARMY AREA
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JONES, DOUGLAS G. made the following statement concerning
Frank during Jones 's interrogation on Noel,
18 September 1953:

About Easter 1952, Frank Noel, a captured Associated Press,
correspondent, took several group photographs of PsW. These
photographs were to have been sent to the US.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
JOHNSON, Duane L				
Pfc, ER 57 509 804				
NOEL, Frank				
28 August 1953				

made the following statement concerning
during SUBJECT 's interrogation on

NOEL, took pictures of athletic events and group pictures of PsW
from the same states.

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KNOWLES, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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John H. Hidey, PFC, RA 15282306 made the following statement concerning
Frank Knowles during Hidey's interrogation on
1 Sep 53

Knowles took a still picture of the prisoners in February 1952. He told the
Paw involved that the picture would be sent to newspapers in the US.

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Knowles, Frank (phonetic) civilian

NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.	ARMY AREA
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Donald L. Havlin made the following statement concerning
Frank Knowles during Havlin 's interrogation on
1 September 1953:

Knowles took pictures of basketball teams and of state groups and sent them back to the United States.

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Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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GONZALES, Marcos
NOEL, Frank
29 August 1953

made the following statement concerning
during GONZALES 's interrogation on

NOEL, Frank, American photographer took pictures of groups
of men from the same state. SUBJECT does not know the reason for
the aforementioned pictures.

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NOEL	FRANK	NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.	ARMY AREA
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GIFFORD, Milton, RA 16313712 made the following statement concerning
NOEL, Frank during Gifford 's interrogation on
28 August 1953

NOEL, Frank was a Psw who worked as a photograph for the camp officials by taking state group pictures for the purpose of US Newspaper Publication. SUBJECT further said that the Chinese were always attempting group pictures especially when some event was planned. Both movie and still cameras were used for special events such as dances, movie attendance and other recreation, mainly for propaganda publication.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.	ARMY AREA
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SFC William Herbert Geyer
Frank Noel
13 Sep 53

made the following statement concerning
during Geyer 's interrogation on

Noel took still pictures of company sports activities in 1952 and 1953.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Freeman, Russell L., PFC, RAL 3268529 made the following statement concerning
Noel, Frank during Freeman's interrogation on
18 August 1953.

Noel or the Chinese one, took an identification picture of SUBJECT in December of 1951 at Camp #1. The picture showed name and serial number of SUBJECT.

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NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Pfc Charles L Fronapfel RA 17101629 made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Fronapfel 's interrogation on
4 Sep 1953.

Frank Noel took some of the group pictures at various sporting events.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Cpl Edward R Evans RA 16279934 made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Evans 's interrogation on
22 Aug 1953.

Frank Noel often photographed prisoners in groups, which were used for propaganda purposes.

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NOEL, Frank

NAME

RANK

ASN

DOSSIER NO.

ARMY AREA

~~Sp4~~ Hikida, Yazukazu (Cpl)
Frank Noel
3 Sept 53

made the following statement concerning
during Yazukazu Hikida 's interrogation on

Noel took pictures of the Psw at Camp 5 (group and individual).

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
HILGART, John M.				
PFC, RA 17291430				
NOEL, Frank				
27 August 1953				

made the following statement concerning
during SUBJECT 's interrogation on

Each Christmas time, Frank Noel, Associated Press photographer,
took numerous pictures.

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NOEL, Frank

NAME RANK SN DOSSIER NO. ARMY AREA

2/Sgt Edwin L. Humphery made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Humphery's interrogation on
9 Sep 53

Noel took pictures at sports meets. It is believed these were used as propaganda.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name Rank A.S.N. Dossier No. Army Area

Harry W. Hoover Cpl US52034120 made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during 's interrogation on
23 Aug 53 Hoover's

Noel took many pictures of athletic groups, for publication in an athletic book.

EXCERPT

NOELS, Frank

NAME

RANK

ASN

DOSSIER NO.

ARMY AREA

Sgt Edward G Hays made the following statement concerning
Noels during Hays 's interrogation on
3 Sep 53.

Noels took pictures of PsW at Camp 3 and at athletic meets.

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NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Head, Carl, Sgt, RA15416816 made the following statement concerning
Noel, Frank during Head's interrogation on
27 August 1953.

Noel took group pictures of the PW to be sent home to their families.
All the men from one state in each group were photographed. A still
camera was used.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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FERGUSON, Charles E, Pfc, RA15292384 made the following statement concerning
NOEL, Frank during FERGUSON's interrogation on
29 August 1953.

Noel took photographs during the Christmas of 1952 of groups of prisoners from the same State for distribution to US newspapers.

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E X C E R P T

NOLL, Frank _____
Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

Lt. Sheldon H. Foss 0-2033954 made the following statement concerning
Frank Noll during Foss 's interrogation on
7 Sep 53

Noll tried to escape in 1951, but recaptured and put in jail for about
3 months.

Noll, in the summer of 1951, took some pictures of PW grouped in their
respective states and countries.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name	RANK	ASN	Dossier No.	Army area
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SFC Vernet L Fetterer made the following statement concerning
Noel during **Fetterer**'s interrogation on
1 Sep 53.

Noel visited Camp 5 and made group pictures for publicity purposes.

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E X C E R P T

KNOWLES, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Fisher, Myles, Cpl., RA 16262084 made the following statement concerning
Knowles, Frank during Fisher's interrogation on
28 October 1953.

Knowles took pictures at SUBJECT's camp with both still and movie cameras.
The photos were taken for propaganda purposes.

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<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>DOSSIER NO.</u>	<u>ARMY AREA</u>
NOEL, Frank				

FLATTLEY, Richard G. R41626002 made the following statement concerning
NOEL, Frank during Flattery 'S interrogation on 18 Aug 1953.

NOEL took group photographs of men from particular states.

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Noel, Frank

NAME RANK ASN DOSSIER NO. ARMY AREA

Jesse W. Durham made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Durham's interrogation on
26 August 1953:

Noel took group pictures of the PsW with a still camera. These photographs
were sent to the US.

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NOEL, Frank

NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.	ARMY AREA
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Capt Sidney, Esensten
Noel, Frank
7 Sept 53

made the following statement concerning
during Esensten 's interrogation on

Noel - has taken various pictures of groups and individuals, people living
in the same areas in the States. He also took pictures of Olympic meet in
November 1952. Noel took action and still shots of sport events. Interviewee
was captain of winning volleyball team and had picture taken accepting cup.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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EICHELSDOERFER, Howard H. 1st Lt 0-60718 made the following statement concerning
NOEL, Frank during **EICHELSDOERFER**'s interrogation on
10 Sept 55.

NOEL took group pictures of the men at Camp #2.

NOEL edited the Camp #5 paper, "The Daily News Bulletin".

NOEL was caught at Camp #5 in Sept 1951, after escaping and was
sentenced to about one month.

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NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Archie E. Edwards, SFC, RA 16202216 made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Edwards 's interrogation on
10 Sep 53

Noel took some pictures of the prisoners which were to be sent back to the
prisoners' families.

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EXCERPT

NOELS	FRANK		
NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.
			ARMY AREA

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ELLENS, Ellwood, made the following statement concerning
NOELS, Frank during Ellen 'S interrogation on
3 September 1953.

NOELS, Frank worked as a photographer and took pictures of prisoners in groups at various camps which went back to newspapers in the states. The Communists took pictures of soldiers showing their name, rank, and ASN which the CCP said were to be sent to Panmunjom preparatory for use in prisoners exchange. This was in November 1952.

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NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASID	Dossier No.	Army Area
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ELSEBURY, Irvin B. PFC, US 55032428 made the following statement concerning
NOEL, Frank during ELSEBURY 's interrogation on
28 August 53.

NOEL took quite a few pictures and ELSEBURY states that he learned in letters
from home that his picture was in the newspaper.

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<u>KNOWLES, Frank (British)</u>				
Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area

Sgt James R ELLISON RA 16291227 made the following statement concerning
KNOWLES, Frank during ELLISON's interrogation on
30 Aug 53:

Knowles, Frank a British newsman, took many still photos of the prisoners. Pictures of athletic meets appeared in two publications "Olympics" and the "Fsw" in North Korea.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

William J. Dengel RA13336475 Pfc made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Dengel's interrogation on
29 August 1953

Noel took group photographs of PSW at athletic events with a still camera.

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NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Lossier No.	Army Area
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Pfc Jackie R Davis RA 16313872
Frank Noel
28 Aug 53

made the following statement concerning
during Davis 's interrogation on

Noel took pictures of some of the PsW with a still camera at Christmas, 1952.

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NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.	ARMY AREA
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John T Crespo made the following statement concerning
Frank Noels during Crespo 'S interrogation on
5 September 1953.

Noels took group pictures during the Summer 1952.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank
NAME RANK ASN DOSSIER NO. ARMY AREA

Sgt Floyd A. Davis made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Davis 'S interrogation of
4 Sep 53

Noel took group pictures of PsW at Camp 3. SUBJECT believes the pictures
were for propaganda purposes.

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EXCERPT

Noel, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Sgt. Robert D Collett RA 17204236 made the following statement concerning
Frank, Noel during Collett 's interrogation on
10 August 53

Noel took a group photograph of two men from Iowa (one was Collett), one from California and one from New York. It was a still photograph for the prisoners to send home. Collett received a copy and gave it to Tibor Rubin, an exchangee on "Little Switch", to take home for him.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.	ARMY AREA
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Sfc Michael C Cornwell made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Cornwell's interrogation on
18 Sept 53:

He photographed the PW in small groups.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.	ARMY AREA
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M/Sgt Charles E COREY
NOEL, Frank
6 Jan 64:

made the following statement concerning
during COREY's 's interrogation on

NOEL, Frank was a photographer who took pictures to send home. COREY heard
CCF took still pictures of study groups for propaganda purposes. COREY also
saw CCF use movie camera shots of groups.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank Chinese

Name : Rank : ASN : Dossier No. : Army Area.

DOWE, Ray M. Jr. 1st Lt 0-62650 made the following statement concerning
NOEL, Frank(Chinese) during **DOWE** 's interrogation on
10 Sept 53.

NOEL photographed group pictures of the PsW.

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NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.	ARMY AREA
NOEL, Frank				

Lloyd E Dovel made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Dovel's interrogation on
7 September 1953.

At Camp 3, Noel took pictures of the PW.

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E X C E R P T

<u>NOEL, Frank (civilian)</u>				
Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area

William H. Cox, Sgt. RA 16274650 made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Cox's interrogation on
13 Aug 53

Noel, a news reporter prior to his capture, resided in the village of
Pyuktong, Korea. His activity was unknown to SUBJECT.

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L A C I R P T

NOEL, Frank

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

CROSS, Alfred, Cpl, RA 15294344 made the following statement concerning
NOEL, Frank during CROSS's interrogation on
26 August 53.

NOEL came into the camp to take group pictures which were used for propaganda purposes. Who NOEL was is not known. The type of camera used by NOEL is unknown.

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EXCERPT

NOEL, Frank

NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.	ARMY AREA
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Ralph E. CULBERTSON made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Culbertson's interrogation on
7 Sep 53:

Noel was a photographer at Camp 2 and took group shots around
camp during the spring of 1952.

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E X C - G R P T

NOLES, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Kenneth F. Deck RA 36029146 SFC made the following statement concerning
Frank Noles during **Deck**'s interrogation on
1 September 1953

Noles, at Christmas time in 1952, took pictures of groups of PW.
These pictures were used for propaganda purposes.

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EXCERPT

NAME	RANK	ASN	DOSSIER NO.	ARMY AREA
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Cpl Richard Delaney made the following statement concerning
Noel Frank during S interrogation of
25 Aug 53

Noel - took group pictures for the newspaper back home.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
Herbert E. Floyd	Sgt.	RA17215596		
Frank Noel				made the following statement concerning
26 Aug				during Floyd's interrogation on

Noel took pictures of men from Minnesota. There were about 14 men in the picture. Noel was taking pictures of men from different states, at an athletic meet. He used a still camera.

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E X C E R P T

<u>NOEL, FRANK</u>	<u>(AP-Photographer)</u>			
Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area

Pfc Richard D DRENNAN RA 16343346 made the following statement concerning
NOEL, Frank during DRENNAN's 's interrogation on
28 Aug 53:

NOEL, Frank AP photographer took numerous photos. Movies were taken of Inter
camp olympics at Pyuktong in November 1952. Numerous photographs were taken
of the PoW when they played sports.

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Knolls, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Cpl. Clarence A Clark RA 17255876 made the following statement concerning
Frank, Knolls during Clark's interrogation on
3 September 53

Knolls took some photographs, supposedly to be send back to the US for release.
Reports through letter that some of the photos got home.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank

Name	Rank	ASN	Dossier No.	Army Area
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Pfc Benjamin E. Chastain Jr RA 16234438 made the following statement concerning
Frank Noel during Chastain's interrogation on
28 Aug 53

Noel, Frank photographed groups of PsW from the same state or town and also
photographed athletic meets during the summer (1952). The purpose was to
increase the moral of the PsW.

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E X C E R P T

NOEL, Frank

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Rank

ASN

Dossier No.

Army Area

Pfc Robert T. Kohl RA 17171413 made the following statement concerning
Noel during Kohl 's interrogation on
24 August 1953

Noel took a group picture of all the prisoners from SUBJECT's home state of
Iowa for supposed publication in the United States.

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NOEL, Frank

Name Rank ASN Dossier No. Army Area

Malvin R. Heath
Frank Noel
2 Sep 1953.

made the following statement concerning
during Heath 's interrogation on

Frank Noel came to camp and made several group pictures.